IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:	Patent Application of Alexander F. Rivera	:	Attorney Docket No.: 01-40085-US-C2
Serial No.:	10/813,559	:	Group Art Unit: 3632
Filed:	March 3, 2004	:	Examiner: Timothy Scott Smith
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For:	**Single-Handed Cord/Cable Management Device**		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The following Response is being submitted in response to the First Office Action dated August 30, 2005, to which a shortened statutory response period expires on November 30, 2005. This Response is being filed on December 28, 2005. A Request for a One-Month Extension of Time is being concurrently filed, and accordingly this paper is believed timely filed.
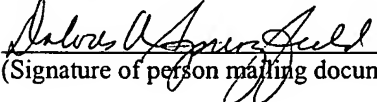
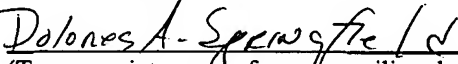**Amendments to the Specification** begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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I hereby certify that the attached Patent Application, and any document referred to as being attached or included, is being deposited with the "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service of the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 28, 2005. The number of the "Express Mail" mailing label **EV 482 562 099 US** has been placed on the accompanying correspondence prior to mailing. It is therefore respectfully requested that the attached be considered as having been filed in the Office on the date shown above in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.10.

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